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Lawmen Learning The Ropes

Incoming Milam County Sheriff Leroy Broadus and deputy John G. Brooks were among 86 law enforcement officers -- including 66 newly-elected Texas sheriffs -- who attended a week-long course at the Department of Public Safety in Austin last week.

The five-day school, which taught the officers the basic duties and functions of their offices, was sponsored jointly by the DPS and the Sheriffs' Association of Texas.

Representatives of the law enforcement community pointed out a broad overview for the newly-elected Texas sheriffs, who will assume their new offices on Jan. 1, 1977.

Col. Wilson E. Speir, DPS director, said the officers learned of the extensive and complex facilities that are available to them and other officers through the department.

Instructors for the course represented various federal and state agencies who explained the assistance available to the new office holders.

Twenty of the class members were deputies or chief deputies in Texas sheriffs' offices.

Judge Attends School

Cameron 20th District Court Judge Don Humble, who took office September 1, attended an orientation school in Huntsville last week designed to instruct new Texas judges in basic court procedure.

The school, the Texas College of the Judiciary, was held in Sam Houston State University's Criminal Justice Center, December 5-10.

It was sponsored by the Texas Center for the Judiciary, an activity of the State Bar's Judicial Section, and included lectures on various procedural steps in the trial of both criminal and civil cases.

3-Car Collision Injures Woman, Damages Vehicles

A three-car collision shortly after noon Wednesday sent a local woman to the hospital and resulted in heavy damage to the vehicles, while accidents Thursday and Friday were also reported.

The Wednesday mishap resulted when a car driven by H. F. Huebner of Cameron was attempting to cross Crockett on Main and was struck by a car driven by Wanda Houston of Cameron. The wreckage slid into the path of another car driven by Kathryn Chamberlain, also of Cameron. Mrs. Huebner was taken to a local hospital and treated.

Wednesday night a tank truck driven by Pat Stagner of Fort Worth ran through the stop sign at the intersection of SH 36 and 77, slid into a field, and overturned. The driver was held overnight in a local hospital for observation then released.

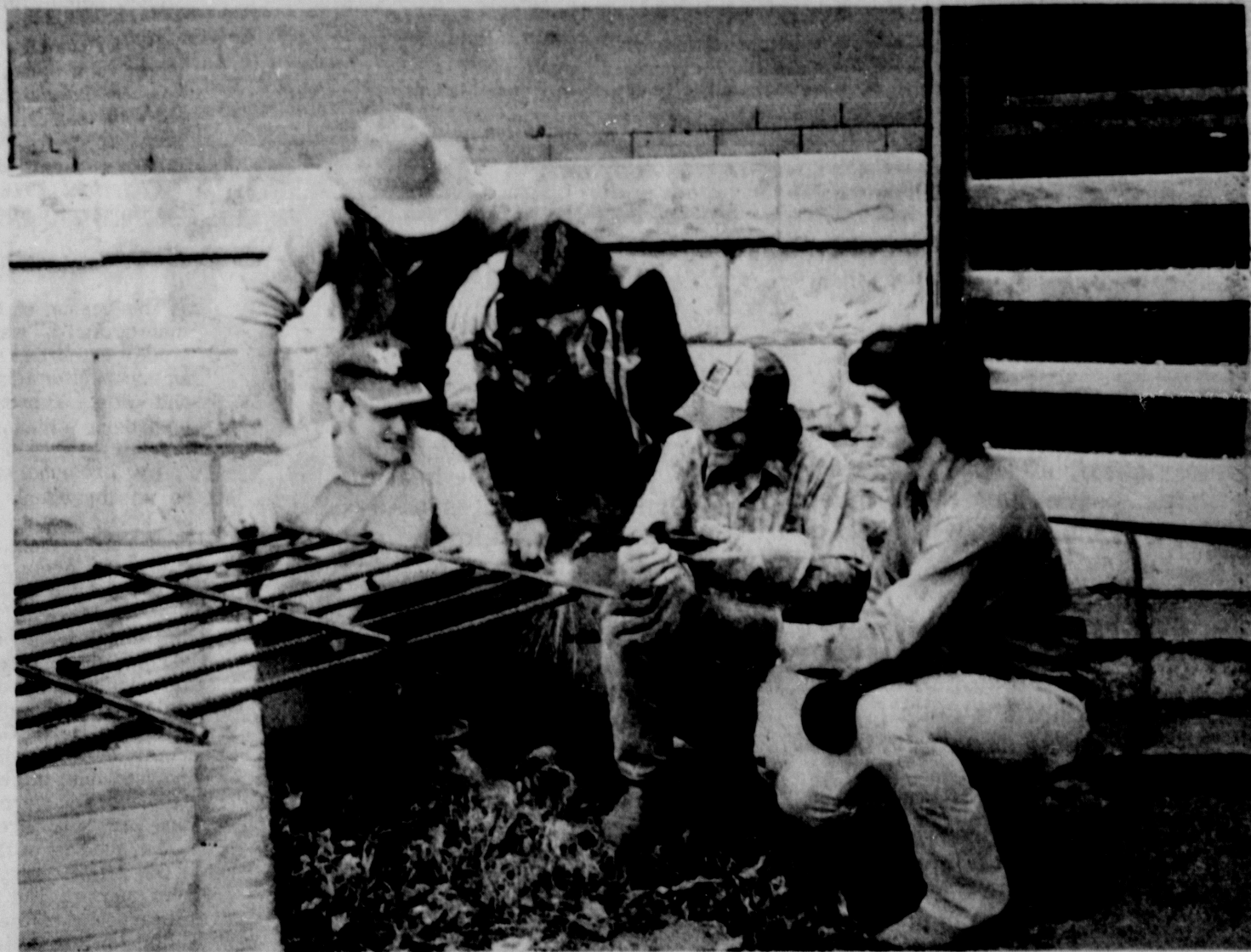
Friday morning a pickup driven by Cress Ondransak of Houston flipped over on Highway 77 at Burlington but no injuries were reported.

Survey Shows Seat Belt Used By Few Drivers

According to a survey taken recently by the Business Law class at Yoe High School, less than 9% of the 124 people interviewed always wear seat belts when driving or riding in a car. In contrast, approximately 66% of those interviewed never wear seat belts. The remaining 25% said they sometimes wear their seat belts.

These figures agree very closely with several nationwide surveys done by various groups. Based on these surveys, experts have estimated that approximately 2 out of every 3 people across the nation do not wear their seat belts.

In response to another question, 53% of those interviewed by the students said they would not purchase seat belts and shoulder harnesses on their next new car if these were offered as optional equipment and could only be obtained at additional cost.



BARS FOR MUSEUM windows are prepared for fitting with a little cutting by Yoe FFA boys. The bars will be placed inside the downstairs windows

for security. From left are Larry Burnett (with the hat), Donny Joe Marek, Jim Fry, Eric Solomon and Gerry Hollas.

United Way Agency

Alcoholism Council Offers Help

The Central Texas Council on Alcoholism is a participating agency in the Cameron United Way.

The CTCA central offices have been located in the First National Bank of Temple since 1962. Sub-Council offices have recently been opened in Gatesville and Killeen. Other outreach offices which will include Milam County are in the planning stages.

The office will offer the councils full range of educational and referral services in Milam County. CTCA spearheads education programs for the prevention and control of alcohol

abuse and acts as a coordinating agency for referrals to rehabilitation programs.

The council is also the state designated alcoholism planning agency for Milam, Bell, Coryell, Lampasas, Mills, San Saba and Hamilton counties and, as such, is responsible for evaluating and coordinating alcoholism programs within State Planning Region 23 as well as conducting informational programs. The council is a United Way agency in some areas but where there is no United Way, CTCA receives county funds.

The Milam County office will serve as both an informational and referral center for problem drinkers, their families, and friends and as a central agency offering programs about alcoholism. The council will provide speakers and educational materials to any civic group, schools, social clubs, churches, etc. interested in alcoholism, its prevention and treatment.

A speakers bureau is an integral part of CTCA's educational program and speakers will be available on request.

The council does not treat alcoholics but through referrals to rehabilitation programs can help any person desiring to control a drinking problem. The referral services ex-

tend to families of alcoholics.

CTCA services are free of charge and volunteers will be needed when the Milam County office opens in the next few months.

At the present time, you may contact CTCA at P. O. Box 203, Temple, Texas 76701 phone: 773-3722.

When we have a Milam County address and phone number, we will inform the community through the news media.

News Briefs

Bloodmobile Coming

All donors and prospective donors are reminded that the Red Cross bloodmobile will be in Cameron Tuesday from 12 noon until 6 p.m. Goal is 78 units, which will bring the city's quota up to date.

Charges Not Jail

Bond was set at \$500 each for three Cameron men who were charged in county court Thursday with misdemeanor possession and placed in jail. They are Alvin Rosemond, Effie Jones and Jimmy Lattimore.

Sen. Patman Calls For Resource Development

COLLEGE STATION

State Sen. William N. "Bill" Patman here Friday called for rapid development of Texas' coal and uranium resources because of increasing dependence upon imported fuel.

But he emphasized that such development should be tempered with environmental consideration and safety.

As guest speaker for the 26th annual meeting of the Society for Range Management, Texas Section, at A&M University, he said stripmining of lignite and uranium is especially important from the agricultural standpoint because 12 per cent of the energy consumed by the entire U. S. is used by agriculture.

Fossil fuel prices now paid by farmers are making production almost prohibitive in some areas, the senator said. Also, prices of imported fuel are expected to spiral even higher as the U. S. approaches 50 percent dependency on PEC nations.

Patman said coal and uranium mining should be expanded in Texas and other states to reduce such depend-

ence and put the U. S. in a better bargaining position.

He said the state legislature's recently passed Surface Mining and Regulation Act applies only to coal and uranium and not to such resources as gravel.

"If you ever lease land for strip mining, be sure the lease agreement has a provision for restoration of the land," Patman pointed out.

On the tax situation, he said a joint resolution has been introduced to both houses of the legislature, which, if it ever becomes law, would reduce the tax bite on agricultural land.

The resolution must be approved by the House and Senate before it can be submitted for vote by the public.

To get a lower assessment on agriculture land, the landowner would be required to show that he makes most of his gross (not net) income from agriculture, the senator said.

He said he believes a weakness of the measure is that it also applies to "scenic areas," which would take too much out of the overall tax base.



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Hospital Fund Grows

CALDWELL

Thirty volunteer workers found Caldwell residents generous to the tune of \$8,130.50 soliciting funds for the Caldwell Hospital Building Fund. The contributions raised in last week's efforts brings to \$150,000 the total money contributed to the fund. The goal is for \$200,000.

Bell Will Borrow

BELTON

Bell County will have to borrow about \$1.5 million to pay its debts, and taxes must be raised to pay off the loan. This was the consensus of the reconvened Bell County Commissioners Court. The county judge said that by the end of 1977, the deficit could reach \$1.2 million because of \$300,000 expenditures which will arise during the year.

Council Defers Rate Hike

GEORGETOWN

Georgetown's city council granted itself about three and a half months time to study a Lone Star Gas Company request for a rate increase here and clamped a freeze on actual implementation of the increase during a special called meeting. The rate increase would result in a hike of about \$1.97 in the Georgetown residential customer's average monthly gas bill.

Football Fever Grips Town

ROCKDALE

Rockdale's Big Blue Tigers, only the second football team in school history to advance to the state semifinals, met Hallettsville Friday night at the UT Memorial Stadium. With an enjoyable case of football fever gripping the town like an epidemic, Mayor N. E. Alford proclaimed Friday "Beat Hallettsville Day." The Tigers have responded well to two previous proclamations, beating West in regional and Anahuac in the quarter finals.

Kubiak Raps Phone Rates

THORNDALE

State Rep. Dan Kubiak is protesting rate increases General Telephone Co. has imposed on rural patrons in the Thorndale area. Kubiak called their action a "back door" approach method of raising rates. Patrons have been told their service has been upgraded when this has not been done, he added.

Youths Charged With Possession

GATESVILLE

Seven Gatesville High School students were arrested by city police Friday night and charged with possession of less than two ounces of marijuana. Officers responding to a disturbance call were shown a departing van, which when stopped and searched, yielded the marijuana hidden in a tape player. The students were turned over to their parents and were to appear before juvenile authorities.



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For Ombudsmanship...

Some metro newspapers for years have maintained what is known as an "ombudsman," a salaried editorial employee of the newspaper who reviews complaints from the public and, in effect, intercedes in the public's behalf if he finds some distortion of facts.

We note that Rep. Joe Allen, of Baytown, has pre-filed a bill proposing an office of state ombudsman, "an independent and responsible clearing house" for complaints about Texas state government and bureaucracy.

It is a good idea. Size of state government makes it difficult to clear complaints and sometimes difficult to get an objective hearing unless the complainant goes to court.

The size of some legitimate complaints seldom warrant a law suit against the State of Texas, and indeed, law allows only certain suits against the government, beyond negligence, unless the Legislature specifically allows such claims.

So the idea of an ombuds-

man would take the heat off government agencies in Austin and in the field and release the tension of citizenship which thinks they can never be heard.

Some minor irritants which repeat and repeat are more serious to voters, taxpayers and citizens than major issues which they know may be resolved in the Courthouse. And indeed, an ombudsman can head off major problems by answering questions created by misunderstanding or indifference among a major state government apparatus.

The newspaper ombudsman checks the basic facts of a complaint, usually relating to information in the newspaper's columns, checks the reporting and processing and concludes, outside of management's directive, what to do. Often, as not, nothing is done because crank complaints are numerous.

An ombudsman office in Austin would alleviate a lot of bickering over the efficiency of government or correct its inadequacy.

We're for it, Joe Allen.

Airpark Real Plus...

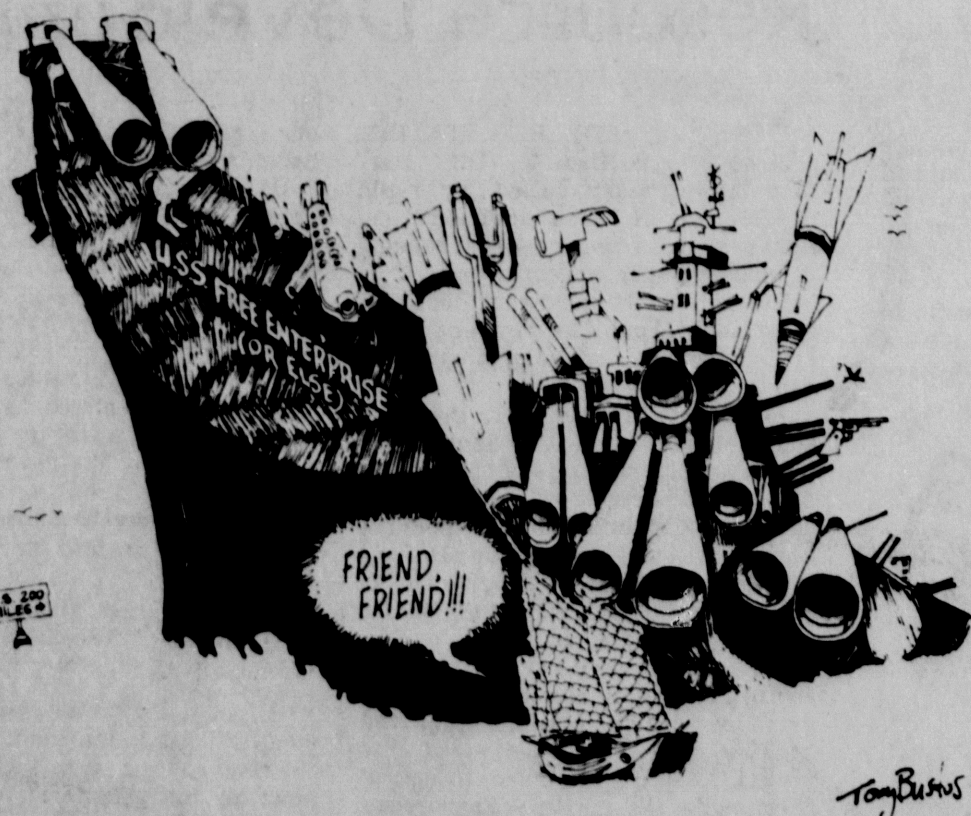
It's good to see the Airpark getting new attention, even though it is costing more than estimated. Many things cost more than budgeted these days.

The FAA engineer who told the City Council this airpark is an attraction to industry is absolutely correct.

Industries already here

may not have need for flights in and out of Cameron daily or even weekly, but there have been times when somebody related to that industrial park have used the airpark only a few hundred yards away.

Advice to fix up the facilities is well taken. And the City Council already knows the airpark's value.



Tom Burtis

Mastery of trade routes can be used to blockade an opponent or terrorize his shipping, and water can protect one's homeland or provide a means of invading enemy territory.

Oceans: Our Continuing Frontier

Sea.. Defensive Barrier Or Invasion Path?

By Herman Kahn

Editor's Note: This is the 12th of 16 articles in the series "Oceans: Our Continuing Frontier." Control of the seas, Herman Kahn argues in the following article, has often determined the fate of nations. Kahn, defense analyst and Director of the Hudson Institute, proceeds to assess the impact of nuclear technology on traditional naval strategy. These articles, which explore the whole range of human involvement with the sea, were written for Courses by Newspaper, a program developed by University Extension, University of California, San Diego, and funded by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities.

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The oceans of the world can play many roles in warfare. Mastery of trade routes can be used to blockade an opponent or terrorize his shipping, and water can protect one's homeland or provide a means of invading enemy territory.

The profound impact of the oceans on an individual nation can clearly be seen in the case of England. Englishmen traditionally have been aware that their rights as "Englishmen" and the existence of such English institutions as a limited parliamentary government have depended upon the protection of the British Navy rather than on a large standing army. By contrast, people who lived on the North German plain were acutely aware that they needed a strong army to fend off invaders—competent generals were more important than democratic freedoms.

The success of the British Empire in the 18th century resulted largely from her skillful commercial and military use of the sea. It was far easier for the British to move goods by sea between England and even such distant points as India than for such rivals as the French to use the primitive roads of Europe. In war, the British could strike rapidly by sea at widely separate points on the European coast, which their rivals could reach only very slowly by land. This system worked because the British were able to secure command of the sea.

MAHAN ON SEA POWER

A century later, in 1890, an American naval officer, Alfred T. Mahan, formulated a theory of seapower based upon the success of the British. Mahan believed that the proper role of a navy is to shield the passage of friendly shipping and limit enemies to furtive raids and occasional use of the nautical highway.

Although his theory stood up fairly well in the light of the First World War, the important role of the submarine had to be recognized. These new underwater forces had the enormous advantage over more conventional naval forces of offering vast disruption for a modest investment in personnel and capital. On the other hand, they were useless for protecting forces using the sea for shipping. Submarine offensives thus appealed to a land power such as Germany. The submarine and the airplane seemed to have rendered Mahan's theories obsolete.

OCEAN LIFELINES

Nevertheless, the naval war in the Atlantic after 1939 was reminiscent of World War I. The Allies used their sea power to attack the coast of Europe. The Germans tried unsuccessfully to forestall Allied operations by breaking the flow of men and material across the Atlantic. It is not too much to say that the land battle in Europe could not have been fought at all had not the Allied navies secured the Atlantic lifelines.

Matters were more complex in the Pacific. There, both the American and Japanese navies were led by exponents of Mahan. In addition, the U. S. Navy had a large and effective submarine force.

Japan, an island empire, was totally dependent upon imports; indeed, it was estimated that she require six million tons of shipping (she had seven million in 1941) to carry on her war effort.

Japan's primary aim was to gain control of the resources of Southeast Asia, which had to be transported to the home islands by sea. To protect this empire, Japan seized a string of islands within which she expected her navy to exercise command of the sea. The U. S. strategy was to seize these islands, thus forcing a decisive battle in which the Japanese fleet would be broken. With its forces stretched to the limit, and with limited antisubmarine technology, the Japanese Navy was unable to prevent U. S. submarines from sinking most of Japan's merchant fleet.

At the end of the war, Japan had only one million tons left. It is impossible to say which of the two interdependent offensives—the seizure of the Empire by naval forces or the submarine war—was decisive, but certainly the Japanese were strangled by sea power. As in



NUCLEAR NAVY The USS Henry Clay demonstrates for the first time that Polaris submarines can successfully launch missiles from the surface in this 1964 photo. The nuclear powered sub had earlier fired a missile while submerged. The objects flying through the air around the missile are launch adapters that detach automatically. The development of the Polaris gave the navy major new strategic capabilities.

Europe, the bombing of metropolitan Japan was made possible by sea-borne lines of supply. In fact, at the end of the war some strategic bombing was done by aircraft from U. S. carriers.

THE NUCLEAR NAVY

After World War II new technologies developed rapidly. The situation now is extremely complex.

In principle, by satellite observation one can—or will soon be able to—determine the exact location anywhere in the world of almost any kind of military vessel.

Furthermore, the extremely long range and great accuracy of missiles today mean that these ships can in principle be destroyed by nuclear attack from land bases. Therefore, it is no longer true that a fleet at sea can only be attacked by another fleet at sea.

In addition, today's aircraft have great range, offensive power, and presumably accurate targeting information. Air power thus makes not only the water contiguous to land extremely dangerous, but the open sea as well.

On the other hand, the sea can now attack the heartland. The fleets of at least four countries now include missile-carrying submarines which seem able to protect themselves by remaining effectively invisible and at the same time can threaten the heartland of an enemy.

Because the only kind of energy which moves easily through the depths of the sea is sonic energy, submarine detection has been dependent on sonar, a kind of radar using sound in place of radio waves. But sound waves in the sea are subject to erratic behavior due to temperature gradients, schools of fish, and even differences in salinity. Hence any attempt to find submarines on a large scale requires a subtle understanding of the structure of the sea—perhaps combined with some radically new means of detection.

Should either superpower achieve a means of finding the other's missile submarine with certainty, it might—at least in theory—attack them and thus be able to carry out a first strike. (The missiles on land are at known locations.) As far as is known, this cannot be done, at least in a short war.

These invulnerable submarine fleets have missiles which can, at least in principle, penetrate the heartland of the enemy and attack it directly without worrying about landing troops at beachheads or supplying an existing logistic network. Therefore, in a modern strategic war the distinction between the fleet-in-being, the coast, and the heartland are curiously smudged and in some cases even obliterated.

LIMITED WAR

But it would be premature to assume that even these technological wonders have completely outmoded the classical principles of naval warfare, particularly those of Mahan. If anything is characteristic of the late 20th century, it is "limited war."

One can easily imagine a "war at sea" today in which both sides used different kinds of weapons (which may or may not include nuclear weapons) more or less freely, but severely restricted the interaction of the naval war with the land forces, where certain kinds of military operations were pursued very aggressively and others were not. Under

these circumstances many of the old principles (including convoys and the use of the oceans to move large amounts of men and materials) may come back, if only temporarily.

Exactly to what degree and under what circumstances such seemingly logical but, under some circumstances, quite realistic limits might hold would require much too lengthy a discussion.

Such possibilities are, in my view, substantially larger than much naive if reasonable-sounding discussion would indicate. On the other hand we need to know more about these possibilities before we can reach definite conclusions.

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NEXT WEEK: Dr. Kahn considers the role of merchant shipping as the economic lifeline of today's world in this discussion of "The Sea: Connector or Barrier?"

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Costs of producing and supplying electric power began to go up at an unprecedented rate in the early 1970's. In 1972, 1974 and again in 1975, it was necessary for TP&L to ask its customers to pay more for their electricity. The average per kilowatt-hour price rose from about 2 cents in 1971 to about 4 cents in 1976.

In the 1970-1975 period, TP&L's annual expenditures for constructing generating plants, transmission lines and other facilities increased from \$98 million in 1970 to \$268 million in 1975. These expenditures are expected to be several billion dollars in the next 10 years.

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Endangered Birds Are Making A Comeback

Things are looking up for some of the endangered species of birds which spend time in Texas.

Bald eagles, brown pelicans, and whooping cranes all seem to have posted gains in their numbers this year.

Biologists at the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service and National Audubon Society have been keeping a close watch on the birds in the past few years.

The P&WD annual conducts a survey to locate active southern bald eagle nests in Texas. This year eight active nests produced eight young, a modest increase from last year's seven fledglings.

The nesting range of the southern bald eagle once extended over most of Texas, but at present is confined to the middle and upper Gulf Coast.

A majority of bald eagles sighted in Texas, however, are northern subspecies which nest in the northern United States and southern Canada. During the winter of 1975-76, 329 of the northern birds were sighted in Texas, a decline from 392 in 1974-75 and 712 in 1973-74.

Decline of bald eagles and other fish-eating birds is blamed for the most part on either pesticides, which affect reproduction, or habitat loss.

Brown pelicans have been hard hit. Around 1900, one colony of brown pelicans near Corpus Christi had an estimated 5,000 birds.

By 1950 the figure for all of Texas had dropped to 768; and in 1963 there were 28 adult brown pelicans in the state. This year adult birds produced 16 young, the most in Texas since detailed records were first kept in 1963.

A record number of whooping cranes made the 2,500-mile trip to the Aransas National Wildlife Refuge from Canada this year. Federal biologists counted 54 adult birds with 12 young. Last year there was a total of 57 birds wintering in Texas.

Two other lesser-known birds, white-faced ibis and reddish egrets, are neither endangered nor threatened but have suffered declines in numbers in recent years.

Some 2,000 pair of ibis were estimated in Texas in 1973. That number is up to 5,900 in 1976, according to biologists at the Parks and Wildlife Department.

National Audubon Society officials estimate Texas' population of reddish egrets at 1,600 adult pair, about half found in the state during the 1930s.



THESE ARE MEMBERS of a quartet which twirled at the UIL competition contest. Front row, Sarah Crouch, Karen Stanislaw. Back row, Bernadette Richardson and Lisa Chandler.



THESE ARE THE Yoe High twirlers who won five gold medals as a quintet at the UIL twirling contest on Nov. 20. From left are Kristy Tumlinson, Denice Drgac. Back row, Ramona Cummings, Ann Richardson and Janet Fuchs.

OBITUARY

Porter

Funeral service was held Dec. 8 for Mrs. Kate Bain Porter of the Hix community near Caldwell. Mrs. Porter, whose husband preceded her in death eight years ago, died Dec. 6.

Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home of Caldwell was in charge of arrangements. Burial was in the Hix Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Porter was born in Burleson County and lived there all her life. She was born on June 4, 1877, she lived to be 99 years, 6 months and 2 days old.

She is survived by five children: Clara Ruth Thomas of Hearne, Eunice Scott of Cameron, Baine Andrews of San Angelo, Charles Porter of Caldwell and Edith Veste of Corpus Christi; 14 grandchildren, 40 great grandchildren and six great great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Billy Scott, Franklin Scott, Dicky Scott, Bobby Scott, Andrew Scott and Ken Smith.

Rev. Proffit Resigns As Pastor Here

Rev. Darryl Proffit, pastor of the First Assembly of God Church, resigned as pastor effective Dec. 1 to accept a mission works post at Copperas Cove.

Rev. Proffit, who has been in Cameron for the past two and one-half years, served as president of the Ministerial Association, was active in the Cameron Chamber of Commerce, and served as youth director for the Bryan section of the Assembly of God. He was also a member of the governing board of that section.

Rev. Proffit expressed the family's enjoyment of staying in Cameron and invited old friends to call on them at 1102 Sherry Lane in Copperas Cove.

Temple IRS Office Moves

TEMPLE

The Internal Revenue Service has moved into a new office in the Federal Building which is located at the corner of Avenue A. and Main Street.

Harlis Jackson, local IRS director's representative, said that tax assistance is available in Room 128 on Tuesdays from 8:15 a.m. to 11:15 a.m., and 12 noon to 3 p.m.

Starting Jan. 3, the office will be open for assistance with tax questions each Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 11:15 a.m., and 12 noon to 2:30 p.m.

Milam Delegates Attend FB Meet

The Milam County Farm Bureau sent seven voting delegates to the 43rd annual meeting of the Texas FB in Fort Worth Dec. 5-8, according to H. M. Yager of Cameron, president of the 1,839-member county organization.

More than 1,000 voting delegates from 210 organized county FBs convened at the Tarrant County convention center to adopt state policies and approve recommendations for national policies. The latter will be forwarded to the annual meeting of the American Farm Bureau Federation to be held Jan. 9-12 in Honolulu, Hawaii.

Attending as Milam delegates were Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Dodd, H. M. Yager, Reeves Brown and Lucien Kruse of Cameron; Jerry Rek of Rockdale and Durwood Tucker of Thorndale.

District caucuses were held Tuesday morning prior to the convening of the business session. Warren Newberry, TFB executive director, made his administrative report at that session.

The voting session continued through Tuesday and Wednesday until all proposed resolutions were disposed of. Final order of business was election of directors from even-numbered districts and the president. John A. Smith, retiring District 8 director, was replaced by Calvin Rueter of Bosque County.

Speakers Monday morning included TFB President Carrol Chaloupka and Bill Clayton of Springlake, Speaker of the Texas House. Shirley Cothran Barret of Denton, Miss America of 1975, spoke at a ladies luncheon and style show.

The annual teen's contest saw 12 district winners competing for the state crown. Cheryl McCann of Lometa won the crown and will go to the national convention in January.



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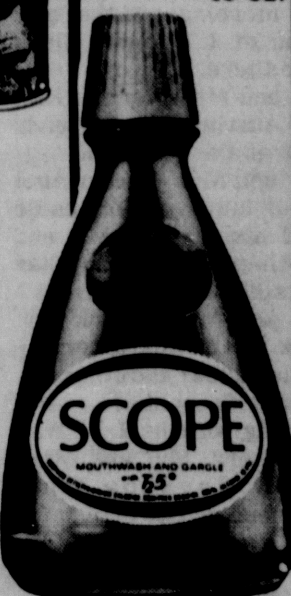
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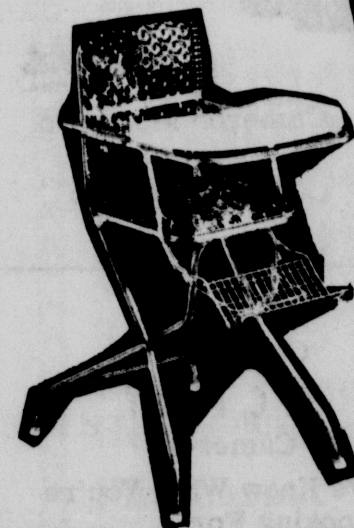
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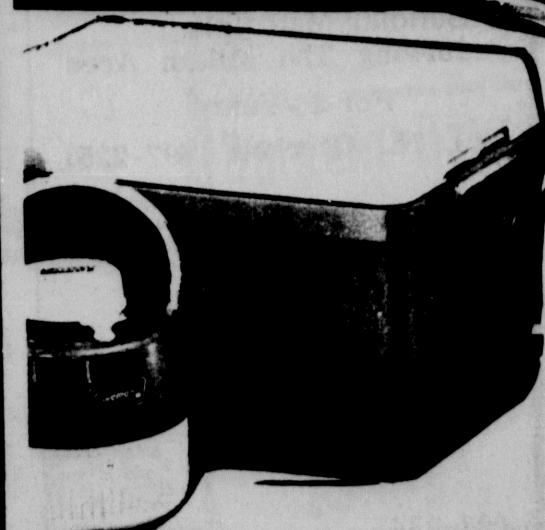
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Safety Urged During Holidays

The hustle, bustle, and excitement of the holidays are part of what makes the Christmas-New Year time a special season. That same exuberance can also lead people to drop their guard, and all too often the season is marred by the tragedy of an accident.

Slow down during the holidays and take time to be safe, advises the Texas Safety Association. Take a minute to read these holiday safety reminders.

San Gabriel

Mrs. W. McDaniel

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Shavers were in Taylor to help Mr. and Mrs. Otto Meiske celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunn of Corpus Christi were visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mitchell and sons of Hearne visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Garner.

Mrs. Buddy Limmer and Mrs. Richard Heine visited at the Baswell Rest Home with Mike Garner, Ossie Carroll and sister Sarah, and Calvin Elland at Manor Oaks.

Mrs. Jim Stewart visited Mrs. Ike Camp.

We extend sympathy to Buster Guthrie and family at the loss of his sister, Mrs. Cleo Rogers of Austin. Mrs. W. McDaniel visited at the Sweetbriar Rest Home in Taylor with Mom Smith, Mrs. Zelma Phipps, and Mrs. Frank Brown and at the SPJST Rest Home with Miss Tena Yeager.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Simank, Stephen, and John of Austin were visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Camp.

Buckholts

Mrs. Edwin Gandy

The Buckholts Museum will be open to the public on Dec. 18, beginning at 10 a.m. Saturday morning.

There will also be a bake sale at the Museum on Saturday morning and that afternoon at 1:30 Santa Claus will be there.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Katatz of Austin visited friends here over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Abel Jr. and family of Ingleside visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Abel Sr. and her parents of Rogers.

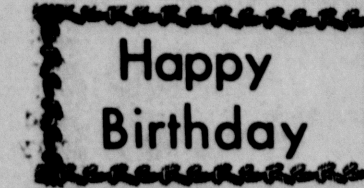
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tomasek Jr. and daughter visited her father and other relatives in Tennessee.

Visiting with the R. W. Wall family were Mr. and Mrs. Theron Jackson, Clint, and Teresa of LaPorte.

Mrs. Jewel Collier of Cameron visited her sister, Mrs. Dealie Arnold.

Visiting with the Edwin Peeler family were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewellyn of Waco.

The Senior Citizens of Buckholts that ride the bus each Monday visit the patients in the nursing homes of Cameron each Monday.



December 13
Ernest Ray Provasek, Charles Colbert, Jeanie Kirk, James McCall, Albert G. Whiteside.

December 14
Robert McIntyre Sr.

December 15
Linda Lemon, Juliann McDaniel, Linda Roberts

December 16
Elaine Perrin, Lorie Pratt, Daniel Richardson, Michael Schiller

December 18
Gregory Graham

December 19
E. J. Provasek

Anniversary

December 18
Mr. & Mrs. Albert Edwards, Mr. & Mrs. James Walthall

Private Pond Stocking Applications Due Jan. 1

Landowners wanting their ponds stocked with fish next year are reminded they have until Jan. 1, 1977 to submit their application to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Applications received after the Jan. 1 deadline will be deferred until 1978, according to Ted Lowman, P&WD fish hatchery coordinator.

As in past years, P&WD will stock private waters with largemouth black bass, channel catfish, or sunfish. Between 6,000 and 7,000 applications will be filled during 1977, according to Lowman.

The difference species will be stocked at no charge to the landowner. However, to qualify, the pond must never have been stocked with the requested species; have been dried-up and refilled since the last stocking request; or have had all fish chemically removed since the last request.

Form cards may be secured from any P&WD office or by written request from P&WD's Austin Headquarters, 4200 Smith School Road, Austin, Texas 78744.

Following the deadline, receipt of the application

will be acknowledged and processed. Applicants meeting stocking criteria will be notified by late January.

Catfish and sunfish, ranging from one to two inches long, will be delivered between August and September 1977. One and one-half-inch long largemouth bass will be delivered between May and June.

Stocking rates per acre will vary from 25 to 50 fish, depending on geographic region. Landowners may apply for any or all three species. If a landowner wishes to have more than one pond stocked, he should combine the surface acres of all ponds and enter that figure in the application.



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Fri.	Dec. 3	Boys A Girls A	Madisonville Rockdale	Tourney Tourney	
Sat.	Dec. 4	Boys A Girls A	Madisonville Rockdale	Tourney Tourney	
Mon.	Dec. 6	Boys 7-8 Girls 7-8	Marlin Giddings	There Here	5:00 6:00
Tues.	Dec. 7	Boys A-B-9 Girls A-B-9	Marlin Rosebud-Lott	There Here	5:00 6:00
Thurs.	Dec. 9	Boys 7-8 Boys A Girls A	Tourney Snook Lexington	Here Tourney Tourney	
Fri.	Dec. 10	Boys 7-8 Boys A Girls A	Tourney Snook Lexington	Here Tourney Tourney	
Sat.	Dec. 11	Boys 7-8 Boys A Girls A	Tourney Snook Lexington	Here Tourney Tourney	
Tues.	Dec. 14	Boys A-B-9 Girls A-B	Taylor Caldwell Snook	There Here Here	5:00 6:00 6:00
Thurs.	Dec. 16	Girls A-B	Robinson	Here	5:00
Fri.	Dec. 17	Boys A-B-9	Lexington	There	5:00
Mon.	Dec. 20	Girls 7-8	Hearne	There	5:00
Tues.	Dec. 21	Boys A-B-9 Girls A-B	Round Rock	There	5:00
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ROCKDALE TAKES SEMI-FINALS; BLANKS HALLETTSVILLE, 9-0

On the rain slick artificial turf of Austin's Memorial Stadium, the Rockdale Tigers blanked the Hallettsville Brahmas 9-0.

The Brahmas won the toss and elected to receive, only to fumble the ball three plays later and set up the Tigers opening score of the game. The Brahmas started their first drive from their own 24 yard line, on third and three from their own 31.

The wet pigskin slipped through the hands of Brahma back Kermit Goode and Tiger linebacker Randy Morgan pounced on the ball, recovering on the Hallettsville 28.

The Tigers capitalized on

the Brahma fumble, driving 28 yards in 11 plays for the score. The key play in that drive being an 18 yard pass from field general Scott Sparks to Robert Luetge. The drive was capped by a three yard scamper by quarterback Scott Sparks for the first and only touchdown of the night.

The Randy Leech extra point attempt went wide left and with 6:15 left in the opening quarter the Rockdale Tigers had dented the scoreboard and led 6-0.

The Brahmas were unafraid on their next series of downs as a fine defensive effort on the part of Tiger split end Ray Brown kept the Brahmas on their own

end of the turf and they were forced to punt the ball away. As the final seconds of the first quarter ticked away,

sition and 9:41 left in the half it looked as if the Brahmas would put points on the board. The Rockdale defense

the ball away.

At this point the Brahma defense tightened, breaking up a Sparks-to-Wesley aer-

shop on their own 31 yard line but were stopped short and forced to punt the ball away on fourth and 3. Bra-

the Tigers deep in their own territory once again.

On first and 10, with 3:12 left in the third quarter, Brahma defense forced a Tiger fumble and Randy Bunch claimed the ball for Hallettsville. The Brahmas had their chance to score, but a fine defensive effort by Tiger halfback Gary White drowned the Brahmas hopes as he batted away an end zone pass and the Brahmas were forced to give up the ball on

hold on to the ball and Robert Luetge recovered for the Tigers.

The Tigers were unable to move, giving the ball back to the Brahmas. The Brahmas in a desperation shuffle, went into a shotgun type formation and came on strong with an aerial attack. Rockdale tight end Jack Thomson stifled the Brahmas aerial bombardment, picking off a Brahma pass at the Hallettsville 47. Four plays later the Tigers punt it away and the Brahmas again took over.

The Brahmas came out passing, and on first and 10 Tiger Ray Brown picked off a second pass, returning it to the Hallettsville 15. Three plays later with 1:44 left on in the game, Randy Leech put the icing on the cake for the Tigers as he booted a 29



THE TIGERS met the Brahmas on a rainsoaked battlefield in Memorial Stadium Friday night.

Stadium Friday night.

Rockdale held the edge 6-0.

As the second stanza opened the Tigers took over on their own 15 yard line, driving the ball out to the 47 where the Brahmas got the break they were looking for. On second and 8 Tiger fullback Luetge couldn't find the handle and Brahma guard Clifford Herring recovered for Hallettsville on the Rockdale 47.

The recovery seemed to be the spark that the Brahma offense needed to get moving. With good field po-

had other ideas, as they completely baffled the Brahma offense, forcing them to punt on fourth and six.

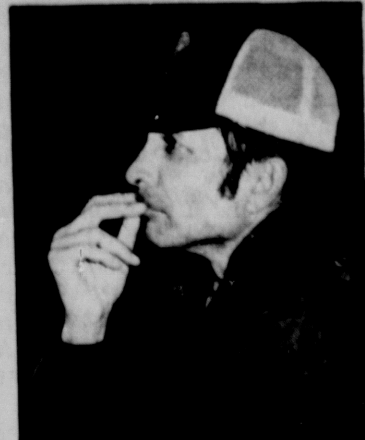
The Tigers took the punt, again driving to mid-field before the drive stalled and they were forced to punt the ball away. The punt fell deep in Brahma territory, and the Tiger defensive unit took over. With 2:33 left in the half the Brahmas took over, but were unable to sustain any type of drive and on fourth down and less than a yard the Brahmas were forced to punt

ial and throwing the Tigers for 4 and 16 yard losses respectively.

Brahma back Willie Carroll staged a fine defensive effort in this series of downs. The half ended with the Tigers in the lead 6-0.

The third quarter opened with the Brahmas kicking to the Tigers. The Tigers were temporarily stunned by a tough Hallettsville defense and on fourth and 11 were forced to punt the ball away.

With 10:11 left in the third stanza the Brahmas set up



The Strategy ...

hma kicking specialist Gilbert Smolik booted a 56 yarder that put the Tigers deep in their own territory.

The Brahma defense again proved to be tough, holding the Tigers and forcing a punt on fourth and 7. The Tigers cup runeth over as the Brahmas were penalized for roughing the kicker and the Tigers were awarded the first down they were looking for, setting up on their own 19.

Once again a tough Brahma defense held the Tigers and they were forced to cough up the ball.

The Brahma offensive unit couldn't put it all together and on fourth and 9 punted the ball away, putting



The Call ...

downs. The third quarter closed with the Tigers holding a slight edge, 6-0.

The Tigers, being unable to move the ball, punted it away to the Brahmas. With 11:48 left in the final period of play, the Brahmas drove from their own 25 yard line to the Tigers 40, but on third down and 5 Brahma quarterback James Harvey couldn't



The Victory ...

yard field goal that split the uprights and put the Tigers out in front, 9-0.

Hallettsville put together a final attempt driving to the Tiger 36 but time ran out and the Tigers had done it again, 9-0.

The Tigers will now enter the state finals next week, the time and sight for that game is undecided at the present time.

Rockdale	Statistics	Hallettsville
10	First Downs	5
111	Total Net Yards	121
93	Net Yards Rushing	96
18	Net Yards Passing	25
3	Passes Attempted	8
1	Passes Completed	1
2	Passes Intercepted By	0
2	Fumbles	2
2-19	Penalties	5-75
6-36	Punts	5-46

Bowling Roundup

CAM-ROC LEAGUE

Team standings:	
First National	34 22
Photo Wright	32 24
Glaser Ent.	32 24
Steelworkers	31 25
Wiley Auto	28 28
Rockdale M. H.	23 33
Galtner-Texaco	22 24
Copper Kettle	22 34
Individual high game and high series:	
Kathryn Jeter	175, Geneva
Paceley 465; Gal-Tex Betty	
Backhaus 192, 523; Photo	
Wright Mable Wright 198,	
495; First Nat'l Ann Back-	
haus 185, 491; Glaser Ent.	
Bennie Mayer 199, 520; Wil-	
ey Auto Claudia Summers	
171, 489; Copper Kettle Judy	
Tyler 148, Billie Roe 412;	
R'dale Mobile Home Doris	
Leopold 182, 500.	

NIGHTLIGHTERS LEAGUE

Team standings:	
Rodenbeck	34 14

EARLY BIRD LEAGUE

Team standings:	
Hefley Stedman	32 1/2 11 1/2
Ben Milam	30 1/2 13 1/2
Schigut's	27 17
Polk's	22 22

Cameron Equip.

Alcoa Lake	21:23
Barrington's	11:33
Maxine's	10:24
Individual high game and high series:	
Polk's Jerry	
Smith 171, Marie Ledwell	
442; Barrington's Evie Sch	
lipf 176, 422; Ben Milam	
Becky Brashear 183, 475;	
Alcoa Lake Rheatte Tim-	
merman 158, Margaret	
Hirt 427; Cam. Equip. Jo Ann	
Pagach 158, Marula Corley	
391; Maxine's Cathy Dodd	
146, 420; Hefley Sted. Nancy	
Young 178, 450; Schigut's	
Donna Krumnow 181, 488.	

SENIOR LEAGUE

Strikers	37:45
Kids	33:19
Jokers	32:00
Jolly Four	29:23
4 Aces	22 1/2 - 29 1/2
Lucky Four	21:31
Bombers	19:33
Youngsters	14 1/2 - 37 1/2
High game and high series:	
Strikers - Jeter 176 and	
491; Kids - Shafer 139 and	
359; Jokers - Hurt 140, Ro-	
binson 398; Jolly Four - Led-	
well 143 and 372;	
4-Aces - Neal 169 and 443;	
Lucky Four - Kathy Ma-	
tula 133 and Barron 373;	
Bombers - Batte 156 and	
436; Youngsters and Tom	
108	

Blinka Named To All-Lone Star Conference Team

Stanley Blinka, formerly of Rockdale and now of Cameron, was recently honored as a first team selection on the All-Lone Star Conference Team.

Blinka is a sophomore at Sam Houston State University.

The bone-jarring tackles of the 6-3, 238-pound Blinka put him on the talented defensive unit. Blinka was named "LSC Defensive Player of the Week" earlier in the season and led the Bearkats with 117 tackles.

Blinka is only one of two second-year players to make first team defense.

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By Ace Reid

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Patsy Marie Brinkman

DEEDS
Doris Eichenhorst Horel -
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Coyle et ux for \$10 etc. -
parcel of land out of the D.
Monroe League

Alvenia Juneke to W. B.
Juneke Jr. and James C. Ju-
neke for \$10 etc. - parcel
of land out of the J. A. DePena
survey

Odelia Kuykendall to Ed-
ward Monroe Kuykendall and
Dwen Fleming for \$10 etc.
parcel of land out of the Jose
Leal survey

Dorothy B. Steiner to Vir-
gil D. Parker for \$10 etc. -
parcel of land out of the
Gabriel Jackson Grant

Luther D. Hodge et ux to
Arnold Jungmann et ux for
\$10 etc. - Lot 11 and the
East 25 feet of Lot 12 of
Blk. 5 of the Terrel Heights
2nd add. - city of Cameron

Glady C. Hubert to R.
M. Gjedde for \$100 etc. -
Lots 21, 22, 23 and 1/2
of Lot 24 in Tomerlin sub-
division - Town of Minerva

Montague Cattle Co. to
Marvin Brashear for \$10
etc. - parcel of land out of
the J. Cottle survey

Charlotte Wiggs and Geo-
rge F. Childress Jr. indi-
vidually and as co-independ-
ent Exec. of the estate of
Fay Childress, dec'd to Jack
W. Prescott for \$10 etc. -
Part of Lot 1, SAAP Add.
city of Cameron

Ira Richard Thrasher et ux
to Edward L. Milligan et ux
for \$10 etc. - Parcel
of land out of the S. C. Robert-
son survey

W. R. Newton to Robert
E. Fischer for \$10 etc. -
parcel of land out of Blk.
C, Reese Add. also known as
Lot 2, Blk. 13

Myrtle E. Noffs to Clyde
Newton Dyer and R. H. Dyer
for \$100 etc. - part of
Blk. 115-City of Rockdale

James Allan Parks et ux
to George Russell Martin
for \$10 etc. - Lot 11, Blk.
3 of Westwood subd. out of
S. C. Robertson survey

Kennie Ford Pressley also
known as Mrs. H. B. Press-
ley, to Mildred Pressley
Smith for love and affec-
tion - tract of land out of
the J. A. Harmon survey

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valler survey

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B. Patschke for \$10 etc. -
parcel of land out of the
J. J. Liendo survey

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ux to Jack Morgan et ux for
\$100 etc. - parcel of land out
of the A. W. Sullivan survey

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vidually and as agent and
Attorney in fact for L. Wil-
mer Anderson et ux al to

Lambert Hollub Drilling Co.
for \$10 etc. - tract of land
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vey

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Bisset for \$100 etc. - parcel
of land out of the Jennett
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Perry surveys

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Bisset for \$100 etc. - parcel
of land out of the Jennett
Bowen survey

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a/L.A. Sterling et ux to Don
Bisset for \$100 etc. - parcel
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Rodriquez survey

Ruth Hairston Wildgrube
et vir to Don Bisset for \$100
etc. - parcel of land out of
the George Dampkin survey

Elvis C. Wilson et ux to
Don Bisset for \$100 etc. -
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Ronald Paul Becker

Servicemen
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Marine Sergeant Dan Ta-
mez, son of Mrs. Maria G.
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GALVESTON
The annual migration of
"snowbirds" - vacationers
seeking a respite from frigid
northern winters - is under-
way and this year there's a
new port of call awaiting them.

This is the first winter
season for Galveston Island
State Park, which opened to
the public last February 14.

For the throng of travel
trailers en route to the Rio
Grande Valley this is an ideal
stopover and many may want
to linger.

Ron Moreau, park operat-
ions official of the Texas
Parks and Wildlife Depart-
ment, said although cool, the
weather is nice this time of
year, when redfish and trout
are running and fishing is
excellent.

It's also a fine time for
birdwatching. More than
95 percent of the known spe-
cies of migratory shorebirds
in America spend some of
the winter on Galveston Is-
land. Four miles of nature
trail, with observation tow-
ers and boardwalks over the
marsh, give plenty of oppor-
tunity for viewing the birds,
marine life, and variety of
plants.

Since there are fewer
visitors during these months,
there is less competition in
the fascinating hobby of
beachcombing. With 16 miles
of beautiful beach to roam,
there are bountiful treasur-
ers to collect from the tide.

The excellent park facilities
include plenty of picnic and
campsites with no reserva-

tions necessary as yet, al-
though for screened shelters
reservations are advisable.
Sites may be occupied for
up to 14 consecutive days;
permission may be given for
longer stays depending on de-
mand. There are electrical
hookups for trailers, rest-
rooms, bath house, and con-
cession area open daily in the
summer, on weekends in the
fall but closed in the winter.
All facilities are equipped for
use by the handicapped.

The park itself offers plenty
to keep visitors occupied, but
there also are the added at-
tractions of shopping and cul-
tural activities in the nearby,
historic City of Galveston.

It's quite likely that many
guests who thought they were
heading for the Valley will
find themselves still en-
joying this new winter vaca-
tionland come spring.



WHEN ARE YOU GONNA WISE
UP AND GET A ROCKET IN-
STEAD OF THAT SLEIGH?

DOT'S BEAUTY SHOP BUCKHOLTS
ANNOUNCES THE ADDITION OF
Judy Rozner
TO OUR STAFF
Enjoy Christmas with a
special hair-do
— OPERATORS —
*Faye Belicek *Judy Rozner
— OWNER —
Evelyn Abel
593-2401
OPEN THUR-FRI-SAT
(MON-TUES-WED BY APPOINTMENT ONLY)

JCPenney The Christmas Place.

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GIRLS SCREEN PRINTED
SWEATSHIRTS...

CLOSEOUT PRICED

3'0, 5'00

-FLEECE LINED!
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-PRETTY PRINTS!



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Girls "Suede" Trim
Handbag Assortment

Stocking
Stuffers?

ONLY... **99¢**

CLOSEOUT!

Girls Knee Hi's
Novelty Prints

CUTE!
ONLY...

50¢

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Run 1 time 8¢ per word
Run 2 times 7¢ per word
and 7¢ per word any addi-
tional insertion.

Cash with copy for class-
ified ads \$2.50 or less.
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Deadline for Ads:
Tues. -- Noon
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LEGAL NOTICES

NO. A
BRAZOS ELECTRIC POWER
COOPERATIVE, INC. VS.
ESTATE OF HENRY C.
WHITE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MILAM COUNTY, TEX-
AS, 20TH JUDICIAL DIS-
TRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Any Sheriff or Con-
stable within the State of
Texas:

You are hereby coman-
ded to cause to be published
once each week for four (4)
consecutive weeks, the first
publication to be at least
twenty eight (28) days be-
fore the return date thereof,
in a newspaper printed in
Milam County, Texas, the
accompanying citation, of
which following is a true
copy:

CITATION BY
PUBLICATION
BRAZOS ELECTRIC POWER
COOPERATIVE, INC. VS.
ESTATE OF HENRY C.
WHITE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
MILAM COUNTY, TEXAS,
20TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

TO: Dora McDarty, Alford
(Alfred) White, Floydine
Hinge, heirs of Henry C.
White and the unknown heirs
of Henry C. White

You are hereby coman-
ded to appear at the hearing
before the Special Commis-
sioners appointed by the Judge
of the District Court of Mil-
am County, Texas, to assess
the damages occasioned by
the condemnation of the here-
inafter described property,
to be held in the County
courthouse in the City of
Cameron, Milam County, Tex-
as at 8:30 o'clock A.M. on
the 20th day of January,
1977, and you have until 10
o'clock A.M. on the first
Monday after the expiration
of forty-two (42) days from
the date of issuance hereof
to answer the petition of the
BRAZOS ELECTRIC POWER
COOPERATIVE, INC.,

Plaintiff, in the suit styled
BRAZOS ELECTRIC POWER
COOPERATIVE, INC. VS.
ESTATE OF HENRY C.
WHITE wherein BRAZOS EL-
ECTRIC POWER COOPERA-
TIVE, INC. is Plaintiff and
Dora McDarty, Alford (Al-
fred) White, Floydine Hinge,
Leroy Lynch, and all the un-
known heirs of Henry C.
White (is) (are) defendant(s)
and a such (are) (is) ei-
ther an owner who is a non-
resident of the State, or an
owner whose residence is un-
known, or an owner who has
secreted himself (herself) so
that process of law cannot be
served upon said owner, or if
he (she) be deceased, his (her)
heirs and legal representa-
tives, whose names and places
of residence are unknown; which
Petition was filed with the
Judge of the District Court
of Milam County, Texas, on
the 7th day of December, 1976
and the nature of the suit is
as follows:

The Suit is a proceeding
in eminent domain in which
the Plaintiff is condemning
for public purposes, the here-
inafter described interest in
the following described tract
of land situated in Milam
County, Texas, to wit: All
that certain tract of land in
the Bynum Wickson Survey,
Abstract No. 68 being part
of a 180 acre tract of land,
described in Will dated
December 6, 1917, from H.
C. White to Emma J. White.
Recorded in Volume 16 Page
534 Probate Minutes of Mil-
am County, Texas.

Beginning at a point of en-
trance in the North property
line, said point being 473

feet more or less North from
the Southwest property corner
of the Kathline Smilie et al
20 acre tract III described
in Volume 248 Page 240 in the
Deed Records of Milam Co-
unty, Texas; Thence South
82 degrees East for a dis-
tance of 608 feet to a point
of exit in the East property
line, said point being 88 feet
more or less North from the
Northwest property corner of
the James L. Ellison 160
acre tract described in Vol-
ume 365 Page 430 of the
Deed Records of Milam Co-
unty, Texas.

The interest sought to be
condemned in said land is as
follows: A right-of-way easement
for an electrical trans-
mission line of single pole
construction on a sixty (60')
foot right-of-way across the
above described tract, as
more fully set out in the peti-
tion filed herein.

You are notified that said
hearing has been set for the
above stated hour, date, and
place, and to appear at same
and present such evidence
as you may wish. You are
further notified to appear
and answer said petition on
or before said date; do so
with the Judge of the Dis-
trict Court of Milam County,
Texas.

The interests of said De-
fendant(s), heirs and legal
representatives, if any, is
that they either own or claim
an interest in said property
subject to unpaid accrued
taxes.

If this citation is not
served within ninety (90) days
after its issuance, it shall
be returned forthwith.

GIVEN UNDER OUR
HANDS, at Milam County,
Texas, this 7th day of De-
cember, 1976.

M. C. Duncum
Geo. N. Fisher
T. A. Weems
Special Commissioners

804tcM

NO. B
BRAZOS ELECTRIC POWER
COOPERATIVE, INC. VS.
HOMER L. WILLIAMS, M.D.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
MILAM COUNTY, TEXAS,
20TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Any Sheriff or Con-
stable within the State of Tex-
as:

You are hereby coman-
ded to cause to be published
once each week for four (4)
consecutive weeks, the first
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twenty eight (28) days be-
fore the return date thereof,
in a newspaper printed in
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HOMER L. WILLIAMS, M.D.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
MILAM COUNTY, TEXAS,
20TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

TO: The Unknown Heirs of
the Estate of Calvin C. Wil-
liams

You are hereby coman-
ded to appear at the hearing
before the Special Commis-
sioners appointed by the Judge
of the District Court of Mil-
am County, Texas, to assess
the damages occasioned by
the condemnation of the here-
inafter described property,
to be held in the Milam Co-
unty Courthouse in the City
of Cameron, Milam County,
Texas at 10:30 o'clock A.M.
on the 20th day of January,
1977, and you have until 10
o'clock A.M. on the first
Monday after the expiration
of forty-two (42) days from
the date of issuance hereof
to answer the petition of the
BRAZOS ELECTRIC POWER
COOPERATIVE, INC.,

Plaintiff, in the suit styled
BRAZOS ELECTRIC POWER
COOPERATIVE, INC. VS.
HOMER L. WILLIAMS, M.D.
wherein BRAZOS ELECTRIC
POWER COOPERATIVE,
INC. is Plaintiff and Homer
L. Williams and all of the
unknown heirs of the Estate
of Calvin C. Williams, ad-
dresses unknown. (is) (are)

defendant(s) and as such (are)
(is) either an owner who is
a non-resident of the State,
or an unknown owner, or an
owner whose residence is un-
known, or an owner who has
secreted himself (herself) so
that process of law cannot be
served upon said owner, or if
he (she) be deceased, his (her)
heirs and legal representa-
tives, whose names and places
of residence are unknown; which
Petition was filed with the
Judge of the District Court
of Milam County, Texas, on
the 7th day of December,
1976, and the nature of the
suit is as follows:

The Suit is a proceeding
in eminent domain in which
the Plaintiff is condemning
for public purposes, the here-
inafter described interest in
the following described tract
of land situated in Milam
County, Texas, to wit: All
that certain tract of land in
the Bynum Wickson Survey,
Abstract No. 68 being part
of a 67.21 acre tract of
land, described in Warranty
Deed dated August 3, 1956,
from Ella Campbell to Lee
L. Campbell, James E.
Smith, and Cora Belle Briggs.
Recorded in Volume 295,
Page 243 Deed Records of
Milam County, Texas.

Beginning at a point of en-
trance in the West property
line, said point being 182 feet
more or less North from the
Southwest property corner;
Thence South 75 degrees 36'
30" East for a distance of
271 feet to a point of exit
in the South property line,
said point being 200 feet,
more or less, East from the
Southwest property corner of
the above described prop-
erty.

The interest sought to be
condemned in said land is as
follows: A right-of-way easement
for an electrical trans-
mission line of single pole
construction on a sixty (60')
foot right-of-way across the
above described tract, as
more fully set out in the Pe-
tition filed herein.

You are notified that said
hearing has been set for the
above stated hour, date, and
place, and to appear at same
and present such evidence
as you may wish. You are
further notified to appear
and answer said petition on
or before said date; do so
with the Judge of the Dis-
trict Court of Milam County,
Texas.

The interests of said De-
fendant(s), heirs, and legal
representatives, if any, is
that they either own or claim
an interest in said property
subject to unpaid accrued
taxes.

If this citation is not
served within ninety (90) days
after its issuance, it shall
be returned forthwith.

GIVEN UNDER OUR
HANDS, at Milam County,
Texas, this 7th day of De-
cember, 1976.

M. C. Duncum
Geo. N. Fisher
T. A. Weems
Special Commissioners

804tcM

NO. C
BRAZOS ELECTRIC POWER
COOPERATIVE, INC. VS.
LEE L. CAMPBELL, TRUS-
TEE, ET AL

IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MILAM COUNTY, TEX-
AS, 20TH JUDICIAL DIS-
TRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Any Sheriff or Con-
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LEGAL NOTICES

defendant(s) and as such (are)
(is) either an owner who is
a non-resident of the State,
or an unknown owner, or an
owner whose residence is un-
known, or an owner who has
secreted himself (herself) so
that process of law cannot be
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tives, whose names and places
of residence are unknown; which
Petition was filed with the
Judge of the District Court
of Milam County, Texas, on
the 7th day of December,
1976, and the nature of the
suit is as follows:

The Suit is a proceeding
in eminent domain in which
the Plaintiff is condemning
for public purposes, the here-
inafter described interest in
the following described tract
of land situated in Milam,
County, Texas, to wit: All
that certain tract of land
in the J. Walters survey,
Abstract No. 65 being part
of a 162.5 acre tract of
land, described in Warranty
Deed dated January 1, 1903
from M. L. Collat et al to
C. C. Williams. Recorded
in Volume 68 Page 77 Deed
Records of Milam County,
Texas.

Beginning at a point of
entrance in the North prop-
erty line, said point being
167 feet more or less East
from the Northwest property
corner; Thence South 75 de-
grees 36' 30" East for a
distance of 986 feet to a point
of exit in the South property
line, said point being 548
feet more or less West from
the Northwest property cor-
ner of the Ozzie McCloud
one (1) acre tract describ-
ed in Volume 295 Page 487
of the Deed Records of Mil-
am County, Texas.

The interest sought to be
condemned in said land is as
follows: A right-of-way easement
for an electrical trans-
mission line of single pole
construction on a sixty (60')
foot right-of-way across
the above described tract,
as more fully set out in the
Petition filed here-
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Special Commissioners

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to be held in the Milam Co-
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of Cameron, Milam County,
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on the 20th day of January,
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COOPERATIVE, INC. VS.
HOMER L. WILLIAMS, M.D.
wherein BRAZOS ELECTRIC
POWER COOPERATIVE,
INC. is Plaintiff and Homer
L. Williams and all of the

OPPORTUNITY SAVINGS PROFITS RESULTS

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Cameron, Texas, will sell to the highest bidder the following trucks:

One - 1971 International two ton truck serial #CS 28916, equipped with a Pak-Mor garbage bed.

One - 1968 Chevrolet two ton truck serial #CS538S1 28916, equipped with a Pak-Mor garbage bed.

These vehicles may be inspected at the city maintenance department 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., Mondays thru Fridays.

Bids will be accepted until 4:00 P.M., December 17, 1976, and will be opened at a regular meeting of the City Council at 5:30 P.M., December 21, 1976.

The City Council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

J. P. Fuller, Secretary
City of Cameron, Texas
78-2tcM

"Sit loose in the saddle of fate." Francis Yeats Brown

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Please take notice that the City of Cameron, Texas, will accept bids until 4 p.m. December 17, 1976 for the following equipment:

One - new of the latest make or model hydraulic roller with accessories. Rockwell International RPRH pipelader or equivalent.

Specifications for this equipment may be obtained by contacting Alvin Heft, Sewer Superintendent, 308 S. Houston, Ave., Cameron, TX 76520.

Bids will be opened at a regular meeting of the City Council at 5:30 p.m., December 21, 1976.

The City Council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

J. P. Fuller, Secty.
City of Cameron, TX
802tcM

NOTICE

HUNTERS & TRAPPERS: Fur buyer will be in back lot of Cameron Seed Co. every Sunday, 12:30-1 p.m. 79-2tp

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful service, memorials, food, floral offerings, and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful.

The family of
Mrs. Clyde (Mary)
Albritton

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Bar and 4 bar stools for \$75. 697-3462. 79-2tc

Give a beautiful purple Martin House for Christmas. 8 and 14 family easy-clean white houses with bright red Chinese or gambrel roofs. 697-2757 after 5 p.m. 78-tfc

FOR SALE: Pecan wood double dresser and night stand; 5 piece dinette set. Call 697-6729. 80-ltp

FOR SALE: Aquarium, fully equipped. Called 697-3722. 77-4tc

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY: FOR SALE: Dollie's Fried Chicken, south of overpass on Hwy 77, Cameron. 79-2tpT

EMPLOYMENT

\$30 PER HUNDRED: Stuffing envelopes. Beginners kits. Send \$2 (refundable) Earl Johnson, P. O. Box P, Mount Belview, TX 77580. 768tc

HOMES FOR SALE

HOUSE FOR SALE by owner. Remodeled, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, nice kitchen with dishwasher on 1 acre of land. 1 mile south of Minerva on TP&L Rd. After 5: 446-3030. 804tc

FOR SALE: 4-year old 2-bedroom brick home on 2 large lots surrounded by chain link fence; has large 24' x 30' garage and utility room in Gause. 713-279-3877. If no answer call 713-279-2094.

FARM AND ACREAGE

FOR LEASE: 50 acres in Burleson County, Christian community. Mostly pasture, approximately 12-15 acres subject to cultivation if desired. \$500 annual lease payable in advance. Contact First State Bank, Rogers, Texas (817) 642-3213. 80-t6tc

LIVE STOCK

FOR SALE Reg. polled hereford bulls 18-24 mon. old. Also Callie Giant Bermuda grass 50% off. Poe & Sons, Thorndale 893-2478 39-tfc

WANTED

WANTED: Someone to take over small payments on Spinet Console piano. Nothing down. Write Manager, Box 9754, Austin, Texas 78766.

WANT TO BUY: Small drill press with or without motor. George Jones at Cameron Herald or call 697-3748 after 6 p.m.

SERVICES

CROWE'S POODLE GROOMING: Christmas special - \$1 off on all grooming. 500 W. 6 St. 80-3tc

CONCRETE WORK Wanted: Let me do your patios, sidewalks, and so forth. No job too large or small. Call David Fritz, 697-2949. 71-tfc

JOHNSON'S Service Entrp. Old Temple Hwy. Appliance sales and service anytime day or night. Call 697-2931. 104-tfc

FREE
3 initials with purchase from the largest selection of pens, pencils & pen desk sets featuring cross, sheaffer, knickerbocker and parker
Nejl Trophies
SA So. 2nd - Temple-773-3751

THE DIAMOND PEOPLE

Shop Pagel's for the finest selection of watches & diamonds and fine jewelry in Central Texas. 76-8tc

Pagel's JEWELRY
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Lost Our Lease!
ALL MUSIC 10% OFF
OVATION
GUITARS 25% OFF
BAND INSTRUMENTS
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DRUMS
NOW UP TO
50% OFF
Lowest Prices in Texas
VON MUSIC CO.
2 SOUTH 3rd. TEMPLE

B-BAR-D WESTERN STORE
ALL NAME BRANDS
WESTERN WEAR OR SUPPLIES
TRAILER SALES
HORSE FEED AND HORSE SHOEING
601 E. CENTRAL 939-1741
TEMPLE

Attention Hunters & Trappers
Fur buyer will be in Cameron each Saturday at Monroe Corbin Texaco Station from 6:45 a.m. to 7:15 a.m. starting December 4. Case all furs.
D&W FUR CO.
400 North Texana
Hallettsville, Texas
512-798-5057

AUTO PARTS & ACCESSORIES

FIRST COME FIRST SERVE JC Penney batteries to fit most makes of cars and trucks. Now in stock, \$48. JCPenney. 80tfc

USED CARS

WE PAY top dollars for good, clean, used cars and trucks. Gaither Motor Co., Rockdale Texas. 446-3413. 30-tfc

TRUCKS

FOR SALE - 1974 Ford Courier pickup. Low mileage 206 W. 8 St. 697-6175. 75-4tc

MOTORCYCLES

1974 HONDA XL100. Real good condition. Call anytime. 697-6103. 80-2tc

TRAILERS

FOR SALE: 1971 Coleman travel trailer. Folding type. Sleeps six. 697-6495. 73-tfc

FARM

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Model H John Deere tractor with equipment. Motorcycle good used cars, used furniture. 507 E. First St., 697-6472. 79-2tp

Do you have a question on energy? Write to Edison Electric Institute, NP, 90 Park Ave., New York, N.Y. 10016.

KIDNEY DANGER SIGNS BACKACHE.
Getting up nights, smarting, leg pains may show need for a gentle aid to kidney function. FLUSH kidneys, REGULATE passage with BUKETS 3-tablet-a-day treatment. Feel GOOD again in 12 hours or your \$6 back at any drug counter. NOW at Dusk Pharmacy

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EXQUISITE HANDPAINTED china items. Ideal for Christmas giving something "Special" for those "Special" people. Each Piece an original. Appointment only. Call Muriel, 778-1788. Temple
3010 Hemlock Near new mall

WE SANDBLAST & PAINT ANYTHING
Farm Equipment
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FREE ESTIMATES
C.L.F. Sandblasting & Painting
Call 778-0279
2010 S. 51 St. Temple

little-known narrative

A Christmas Tree

by Charles Dickens

The tree was brilliantly lighted by a multitude of little tapers, and everywhere sparkled and glittered with bright objects.

There were rosy-cheeked dolls hiding behind the green leaves and there were real watches (with moveable hands at least and an endless capacity of being wound up) dangling from innumerable twigs.

There were French-polished tables, chairs, bedspreads, wardrobes, eight-day clocks and various other articles of domestic furniture (wonderfully made, in tin, at Wolverhampton) perched among the boughs, as if in preparation for some fairy housekeeping.

There were jolly, broad-faced little men, much more agreeable in appearance than many real men - and no wonder for their heads took off and showed them to be full of sugar plums. There were fiddles and drums, tambourines, books, work boxes, paint-boxes, sweetmeat boxes, peep-show boxes and all kinds of boxes.

There were trinkets for

the elder girls far brighter than any grown-up gold and jewels. There were baskets and pincushions in all devices. There were guns, swords, and banners, with witches standing in enchanted rings of pasteboard to tell fortunes.

There were teetotums, humming tops, needlecases, pen-wipers, smelling bottles, conversation cards, bouquet holders. There was real fruit, made artificially dazzling with gold leaf, imitation apples, pears, and walnuts crammed with surprises. In short, there was everything and more.

This motley collection of odd objects, clustering on the tree like magic fruit, and flashing back the bright looks directed towards it from every side, made a lively realization of the fancies of childhood, and set me to thinking how all the trees that grow and all the things that come into existence on the earth, have their wild adornments at that well-remembered time, Christmas.



PUBLIC NOTICE

Lone Star Gas Company, in accordance with Section 43(a) of Article 1446c V.A.T.C.S., hereby gives notice of the Company's intent to implement a new schedule of rates for natural gas service to be charged to the industrial consumers in the

City of Cameron

effective December 30, 1976.

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Lone Star Gas Company

PUBLIC NOTICE

Lone Star Gas Company, in accordance with Section 43(a) of Article 1446c V.A.T.C.S., hereby gives notice of the Company's intent to implement a new schedule of rates for natural gas service to be charged to the industrial consumers in the

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MR. & MRS. ARTHUR HANEL

Ceremony Unites Angel-Hanel

The First Christian Church in Fort Collins, Colorado was the setting for the marriage between Miss Sandra Angel and Mr. Arthur Hanel on November 27 at 4 p.m. in the afternoon. It was a candlelight ceremony with more than 150 blue candles burning during the service.

Pines from the Colorado Rockies with Royal blue, white and light blue satin balls and blue ribbon with white carnations decorated the altar. The Rev. William Angel performed the ceremony.

The bride's parents are Rev. and Mrs. William L. Angel of Fort Collins, Colorado. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hanel of Cameron.

The bride wore a gown which was a Galina original of English silk illusion, with Venise lace, styled with a princess line, with victorian neckline and fitted sleeves with bell flounce. A long train cascaded from the waist. The Venise lace caplet with chapel length veil with a scatter of lace was of silk illusion.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Vickie Angel of Fort Collins and shore wore a morning blue velvet gown and carried a brandy snifter with light blue candle and white carnations and pine. The bridesmaids were Mrs. Della Mekush of Cameron, Miss Janice Spears of Huntsville, Alabama and Miss Diane Keen of Fort Collins. They were gowned in formal gowns as the matron of honor.

Hints for HOMEMAKERS

Tested Tips To Help You

SAVE ON BATTERIES

Comparison shopping pays off with reduced grocery bills, and today many cost-conscious consumers are carrying pocket calculators with them to the supermarket.



CALCULATING SHOPPER—Using pocket calculators, shoppers compute best buy.

Using these handy new shopper's aids, homemakers can compute contents and prices of similar items and calculate which is truly the best buy. Many shoppers have discovered that it's not only the fastest way to save on groceries, it is by far the most accurate.

Senior Citizens Have Luncheon

The Senior Citizens will have their covered dish luncheon Tuesday at noon at the Cameron Community Center.

The Busy Bee kindergarten will present a program before the luncheon at 10:30 a.m. After lunch, everyone will join in singing Christmas carols. Games will follow.

On a diet? One medium-sized fresh pear contain only 70 calories — which makes the fruit a good afternoon or evening snack.

Happening about town

Gerry Prazak, Area Editor

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School Menus

MILANO
MONDAY, DEC. 13
Fish/tartar sauce
French fries
Lettuce salad
Fruit
Rolls, milk
TUESDAY
Chili and weiners
French fries
Baked beans
Cookies, hot dog buns, milk
WEDNESDAY
Turkey and dressing
Giblet gravy
Green beans
Candied yams
Cranberry sauce
Fruit salad, milk
THURSDAY
Hamburgers
Lettuce, tomatoes, Pickles, onions
Potato chips
Cookies, milk
FRIDAY
Tuna sandwiches
Potato chips
Carrot strips
Lettuce and tomato salad
Ice cream, milk

Junior Class Will Present Play, Dec. 17

The annual Junior Class play this year will be "Granddad Goes Wild." The play will be presented to the public Dec. 17 and 18 at 7:30 in the Ben Milam cafeteria. Along with the play the Junior Class will also sponsor a chili supper Friday, Dec. 17 from 5-7 to be held at the Ada Henderson cafeteria.

Tickets for the play and chili supper will be \$1 for students and \$1.50 for adults. Tickets will go on sale Dec. 13 for the chili supper and may be purchased at Yoe High or at the door.

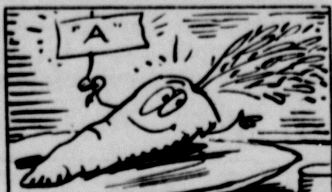
Exams To Be Held At TJC

Temple Junior College students began final exams for fall semester on Thursday, Dec. 9. The schedule for final exams for day classes is Friday, Dec. 10 through Thursday, Dec. 16. Exams in the Evening Division began on Thursday, Dec. 9 and will end Wednesday, Dec. 15. Registration for the spring semester will be Jan. 10-11 for day school and Jan. 13 for Evening Division. Spring semester classes will begin on Jan. 17.

Students planning to enroll for the spring semester should make an appointment conference prior to registration. College offices will be closed Dec. 20 to Jan. 3 for the Christmas holidays. Counseling appointments will be held Jan. 5-7 for any student, new, transfer, or returning, who has not attended an academic advising conference. Appointments may be made by calling 773-9961, ext. 41.



GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY -- Mr. and Mrs. Johnny H. Jungmann of Buckholts will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Dec. 19. Their children will host an open house in their honor in the Educational Building of the Hope Lutheran Church of Buckholts from 2 to 4 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.



One large carrot a day will provide all the vitamin A you need.

Want to enjoy really fresh coffee at lower cost? An electric coffee mill may be the answer, according to researchers at KitchenAid appliances. Whole coffee beans are usually priced lower than ground coffee, and — for the true coffee lover — there's nothing better than a cup of

Meetings

MOD Merger Approved

The Milam County Chapter, March of Dimes met Wednesday, December 8th in the library at St. Edward Hospital, Cameron, Texas. Roy Jackson, Field Representative for March of Dimes Central Texas area, presented a film dealing with "Wisdom of Nature" prenatal care and the prevention of birth defects.

A merger with the Leon Valley Chapter of March of Dimes was approved for the Milam County Chapter. This action will be finalized within the next two months.

A decision to place a Resuscitator Anne Rescue Breathing Doll at St. Edward Hospital was made at the meeting. This will be used in teaching courses at the hospital in Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation and LaMaze Classes in Breathing for obstetrical patients.

freshly brewed coffee that's just been freshly ground.

And, these experts point out, the key words to remember are "planetary action" when looking for a food mixer. This is the same method used by large commercial bakeries in their bakery mixers. As with commercial units, two of the three KitchenAid food preparers use a special "dough hook" for mixing and kneading homemade yeast breads. Homemade bread. . . Yum!



MR. & MRS. CECIL R. CRISWELL

Criswells' Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil R. Criswell will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, December 19 from 2 to 4 p.m. with an open house at their home in Buckholts, Texas.

They were married on December 15, 1926 in Buckholts in the home of the Methodist pastor, Rev. J. B. Gregory. They have resided

in Buckholts throughout their married life.

Mrs. Raymond Saage of Rosenberg and her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Oberhoff of Richmond are honoring Mrs. Saage's foster parents with the open house.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

No gifts, please.



It is now generally believed that seals with their human-like faces were the factual basis for stories about mermaids.

Busy Bee Day School is now registering for the January semester of Kindergarten classes.

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